

Claims

What is claimed is:

1. A method of recording Internet activity performed by a user on behalf of a client, comprising:

5 initiating, by the user, a client session by providing, at least one of a client identifier and a client matter identifier; during said client session, performing at least one respective Internet activity by the user on behalf of the client;

10 for at least one of the at least one performed Internet activity, generating a respective time value based at least in part on at least one of a start time defined by when the user begins performance of the respective at least one Internet activity, and a completion time defined by when the user 15 completes performance of the respective at least one Internet activity;

for each of the at least one performed Internet activity, generating a respective activity record corresponding to the respective Internet activity performed by the user;

20 storing a session record comprising activity data based at least in part on each generated time value, each generated activity record, and the at least one of a client identifier and a client matter identifier;

generating at least one of a bill and a report based at least in part on said session record; and forwarding, to the client, the at least one of a bill and a report;

5 wherein the at least one of a client identifier and a client matter identifier corresponds to the client, and the at least one Internet activity comprises a request for data from a publicly available Internet location.

10 2. The method of claim 1, wherein the user performs a plurality of Internet activities, and the plurality of Internet activities comprises a request for data from a publicly available Internet location, and at least one of data entry of a network address, data entry of a URL, data entry of at least one 15 search term, data entry of at least one data instance, selection of a hyperlink, a data transfer, and an input device event.